

H - Host Interface or Line Card
S - Storage Device
M - Memory (e.g. Storage Cache)
C - Controller, (e.g. RAID Controller)
R - Router Node

Fig. 1

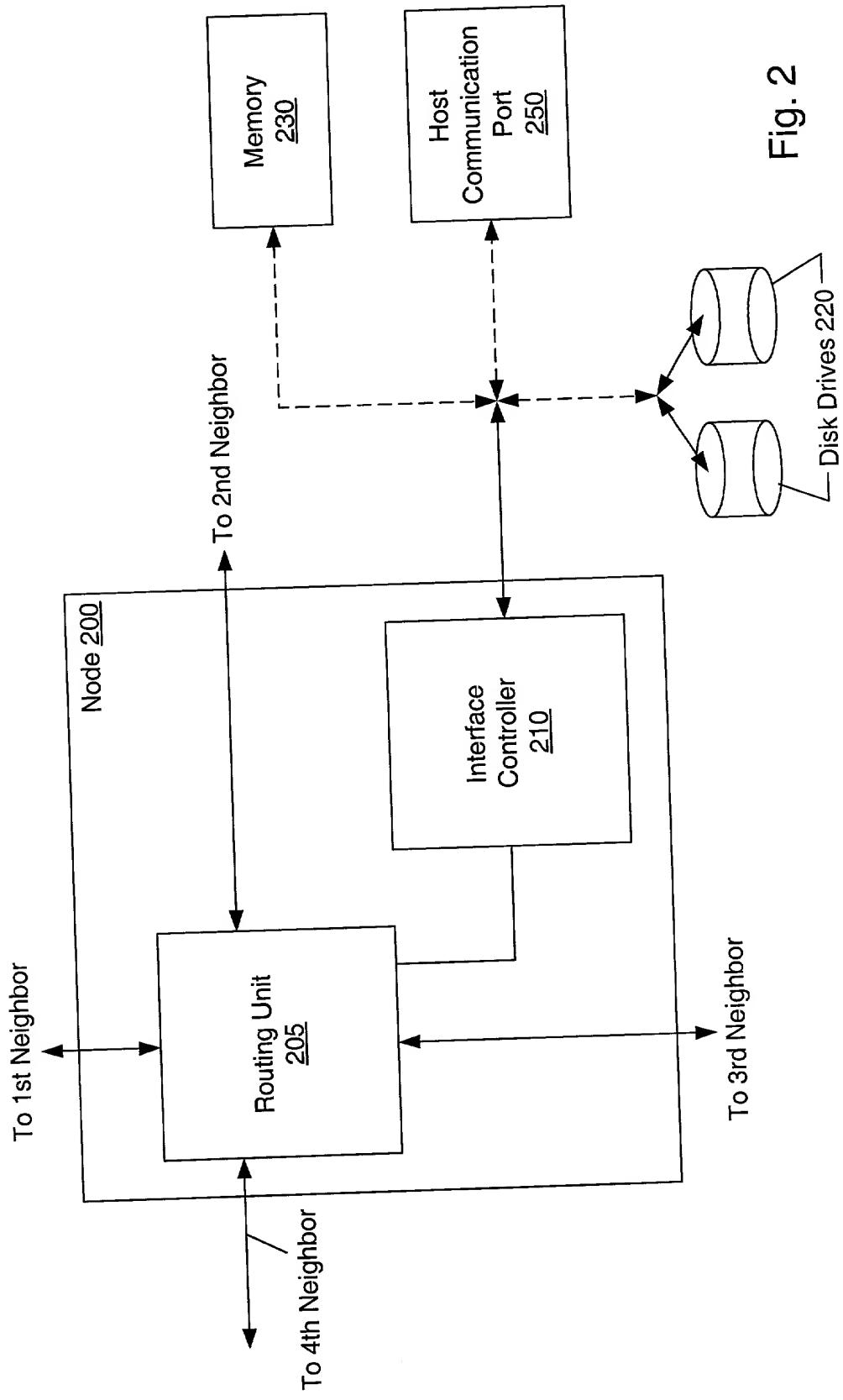


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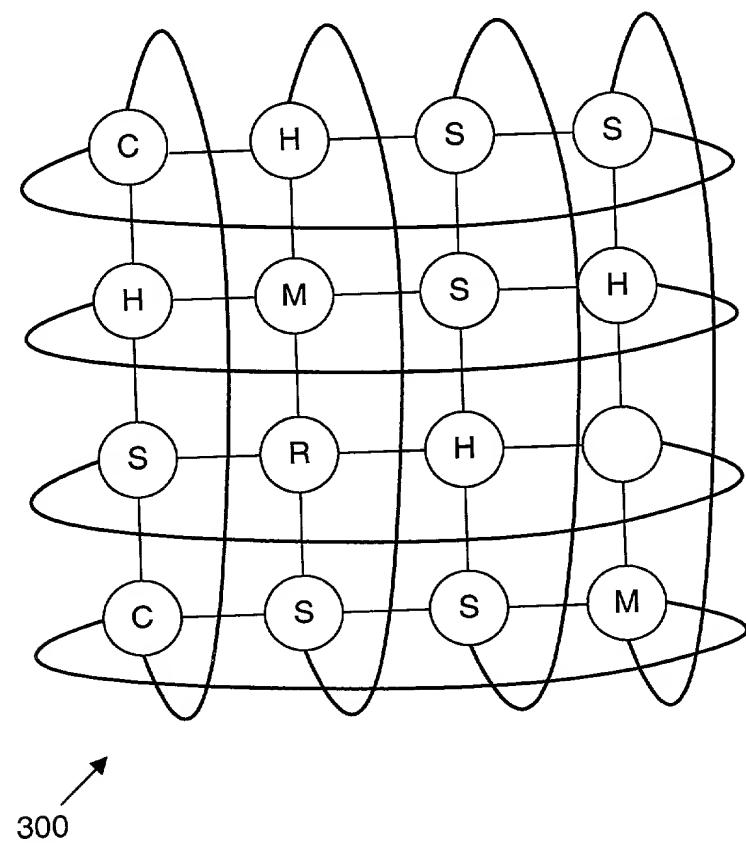


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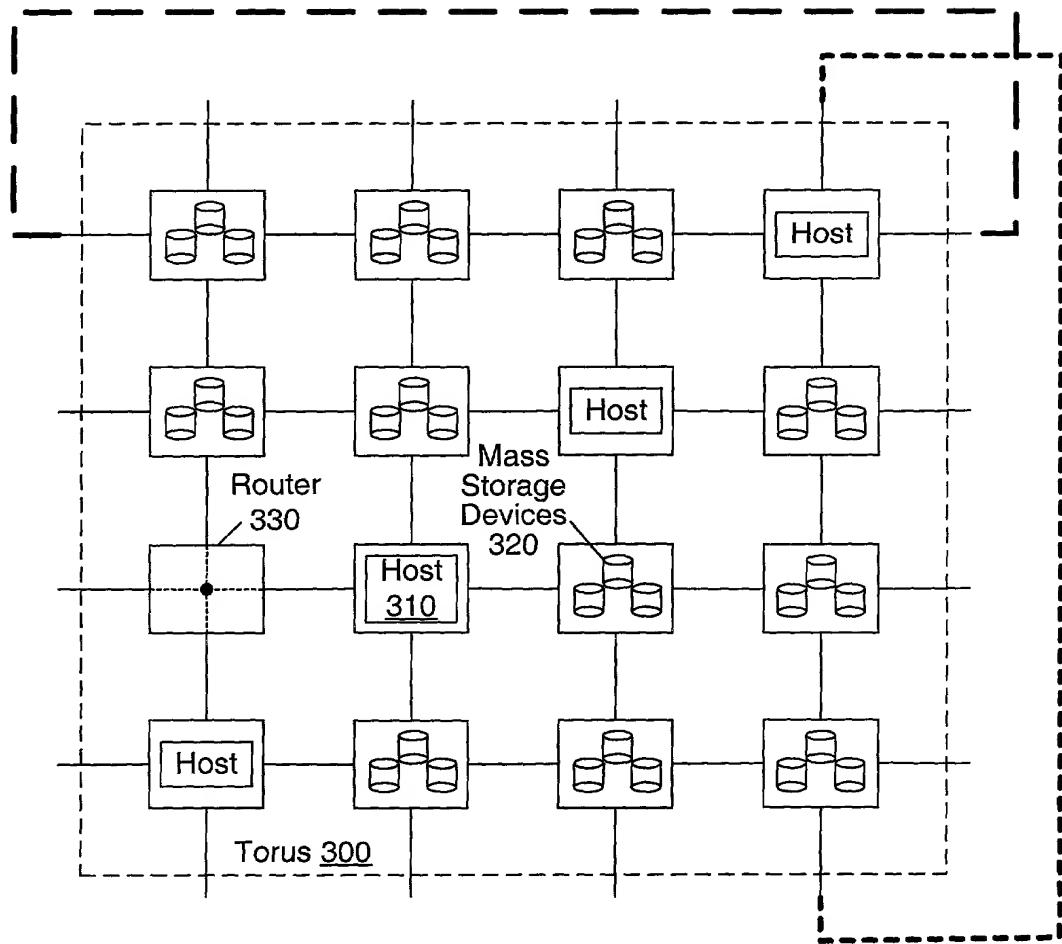


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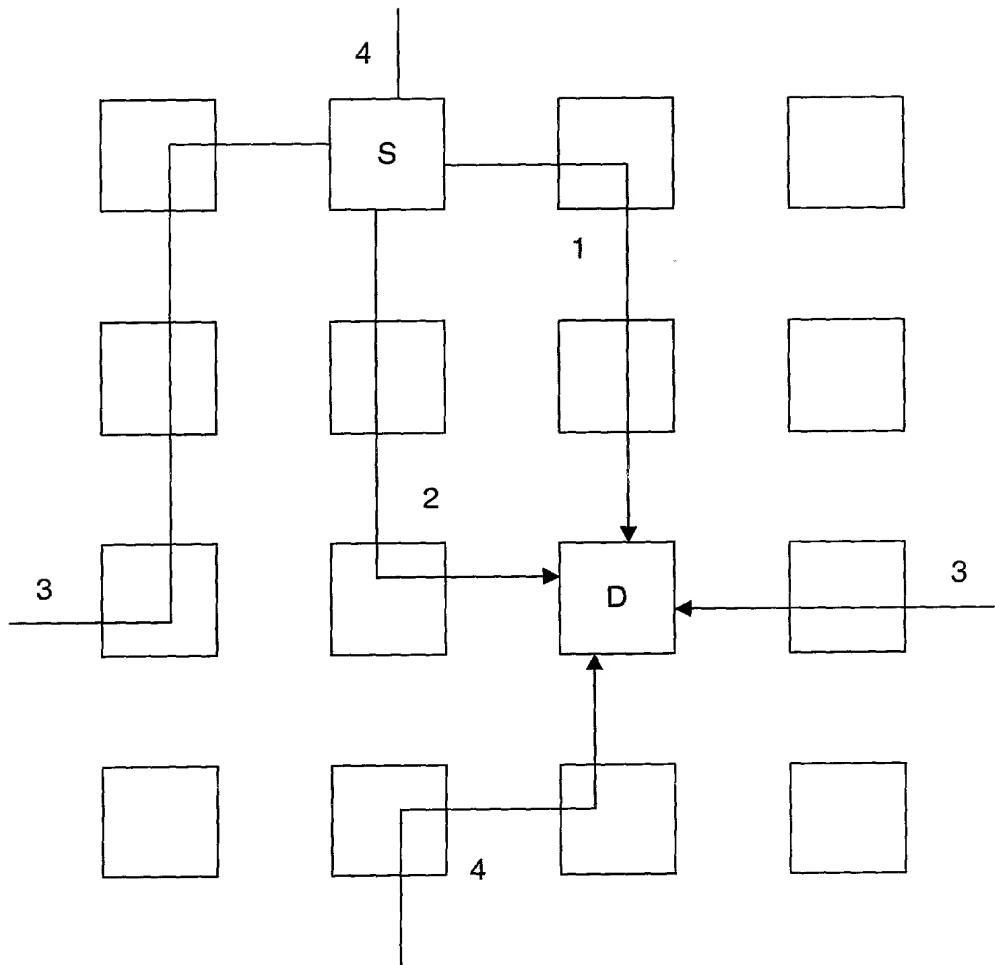


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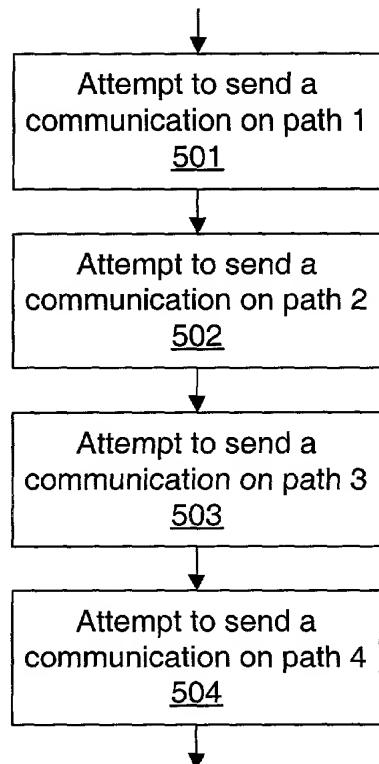


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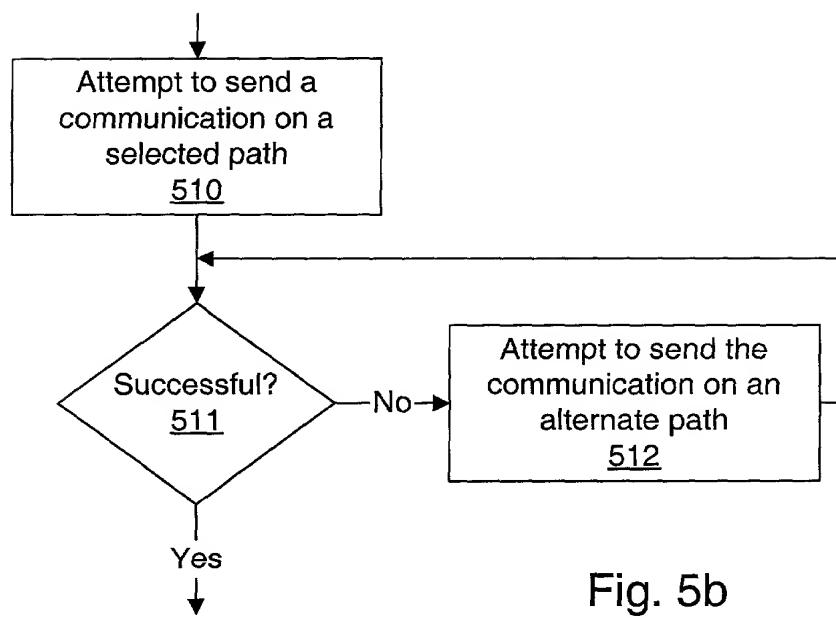


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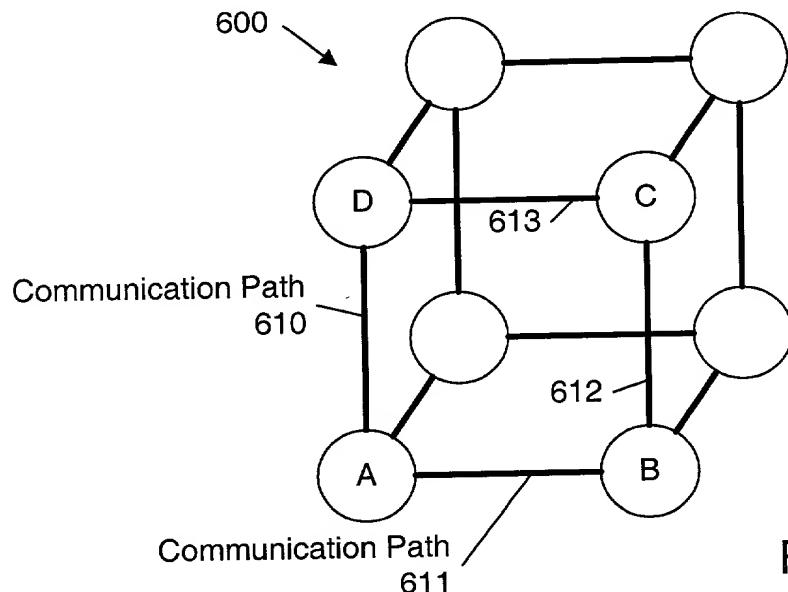


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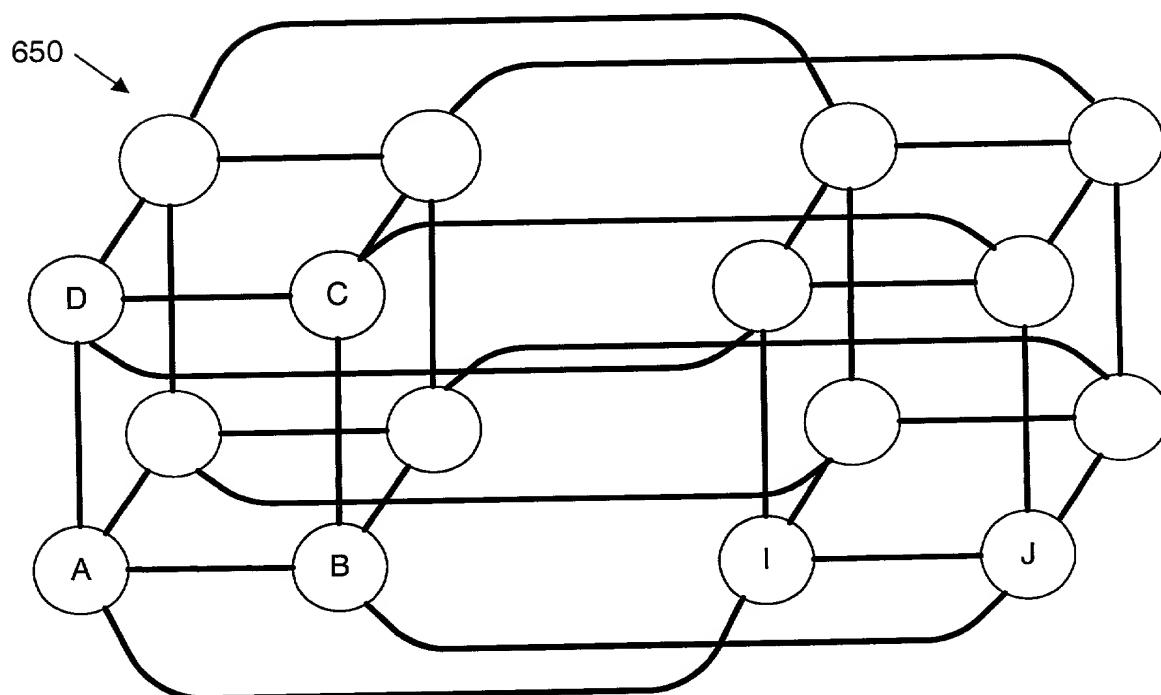


Fig. 6B

Nodes on Two Ends of Network are Physically the Same Nodes

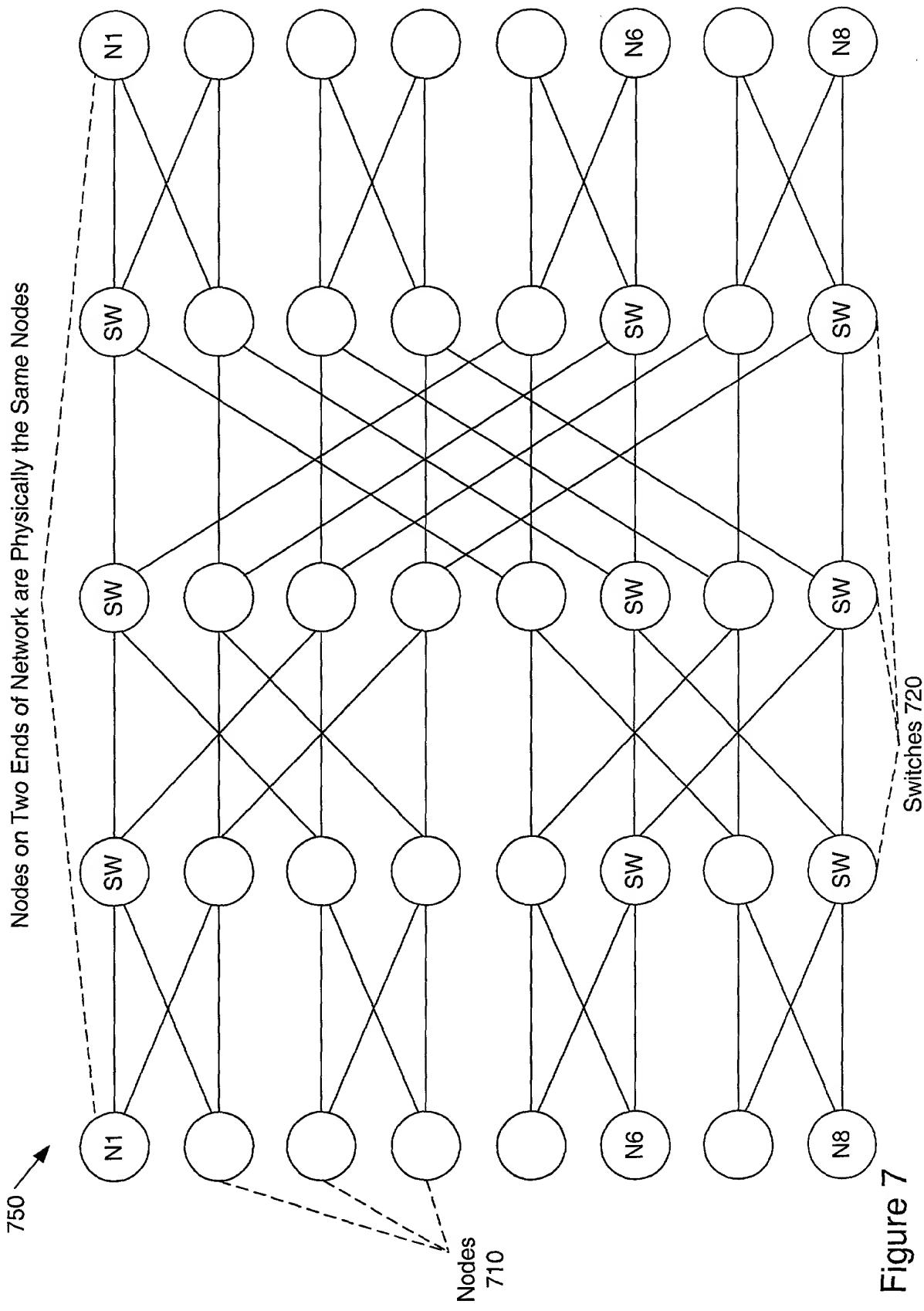


Figure 7

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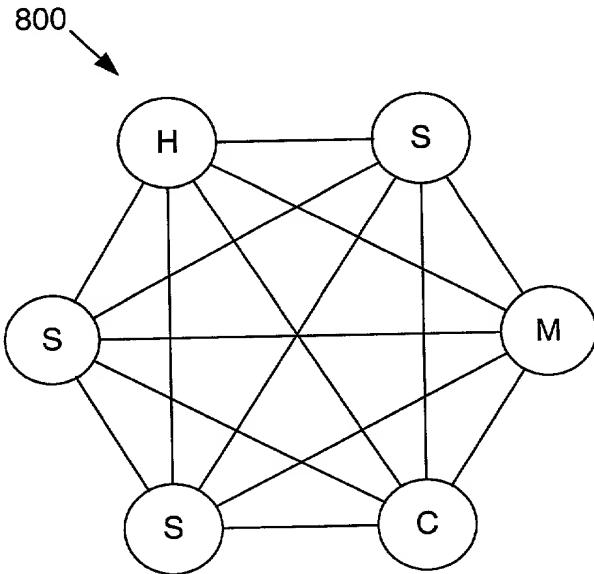


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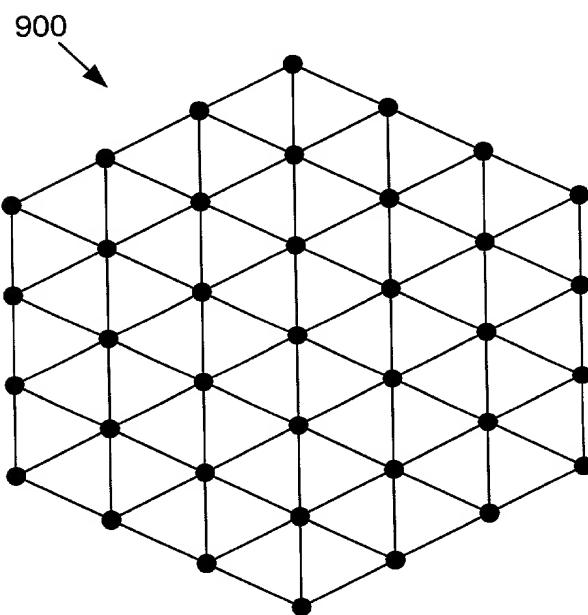


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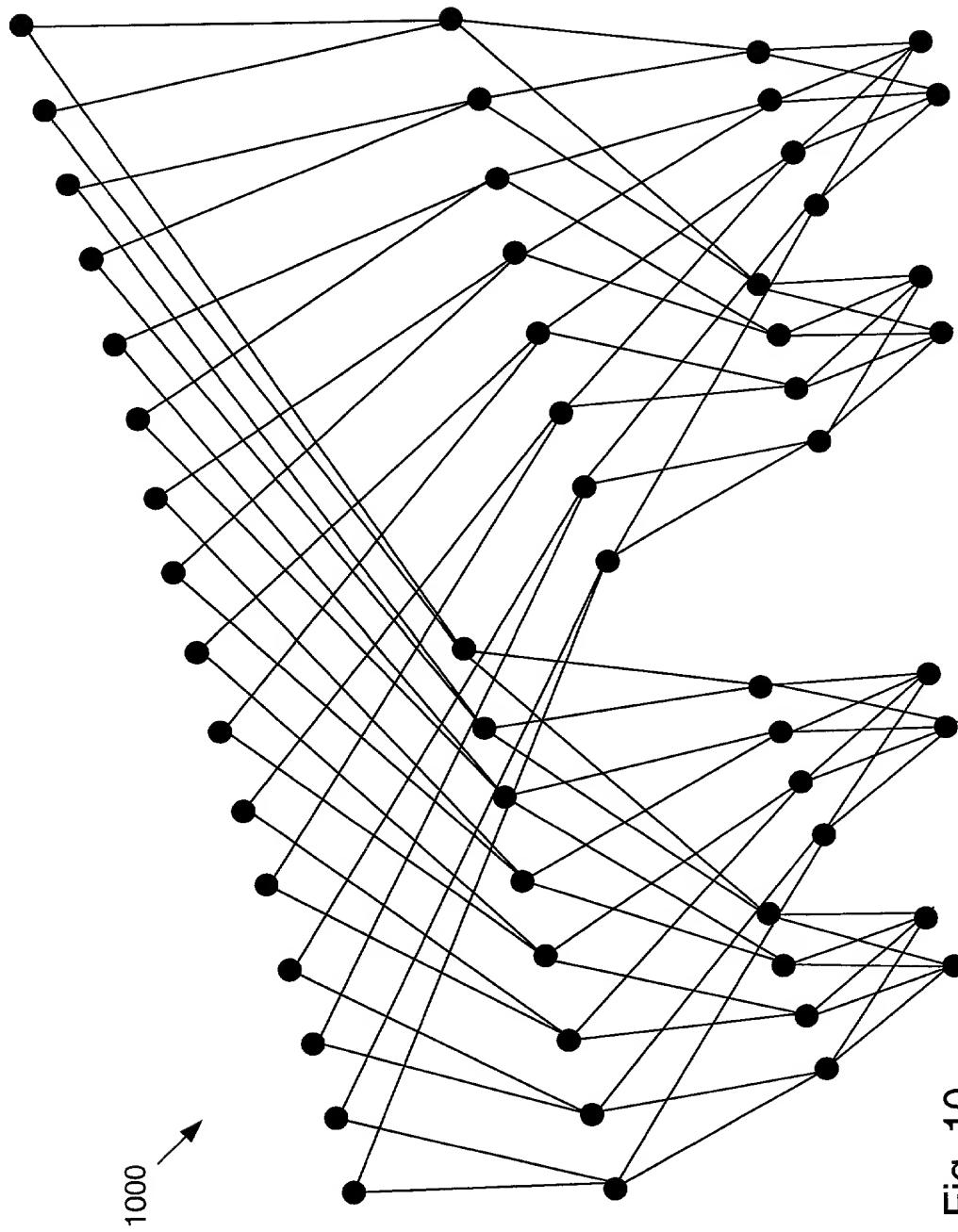


Fig. 10

Path 1103
Torus 1100
Path 1104
Path 1101
(2,2)
Path 1102
(3,3)

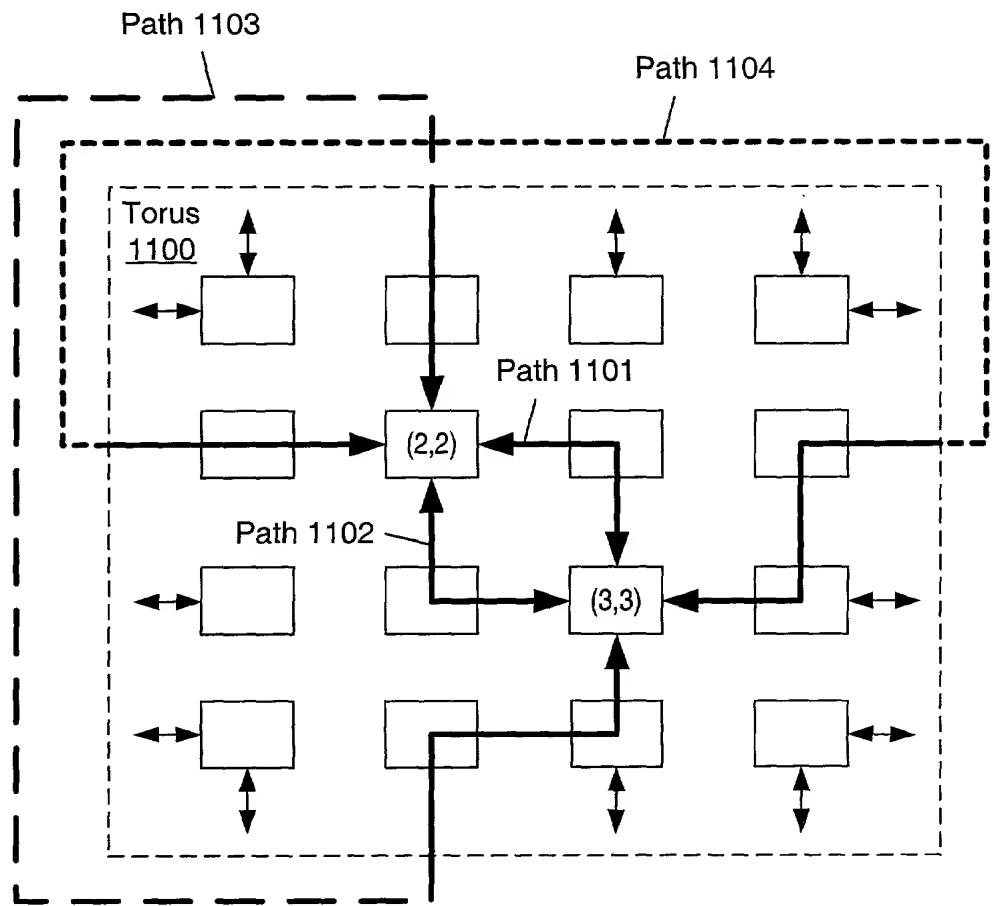


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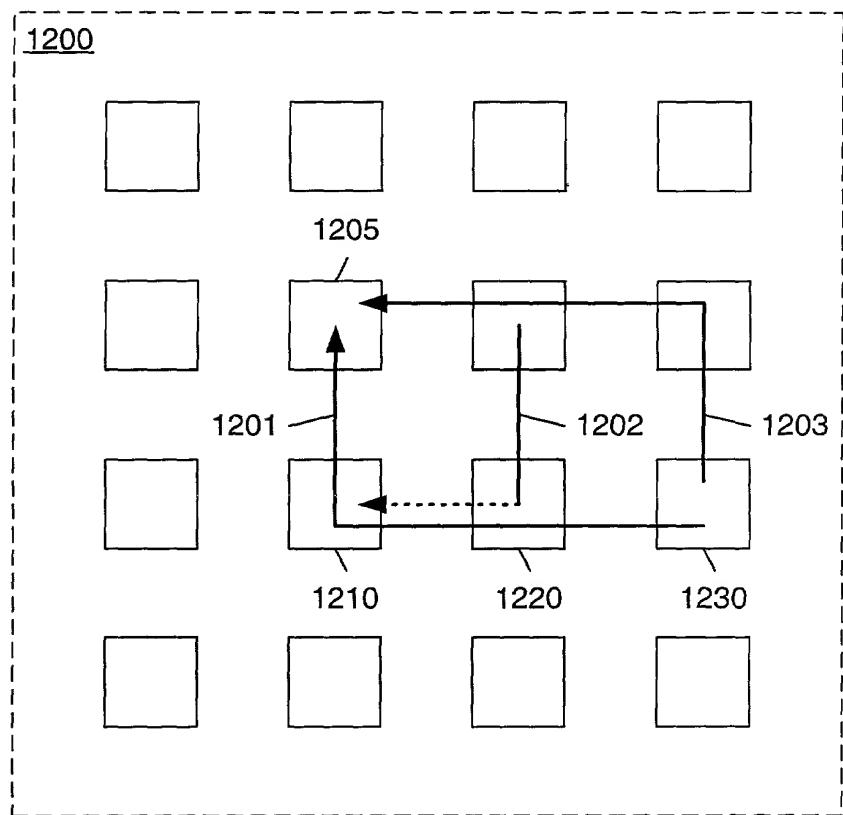


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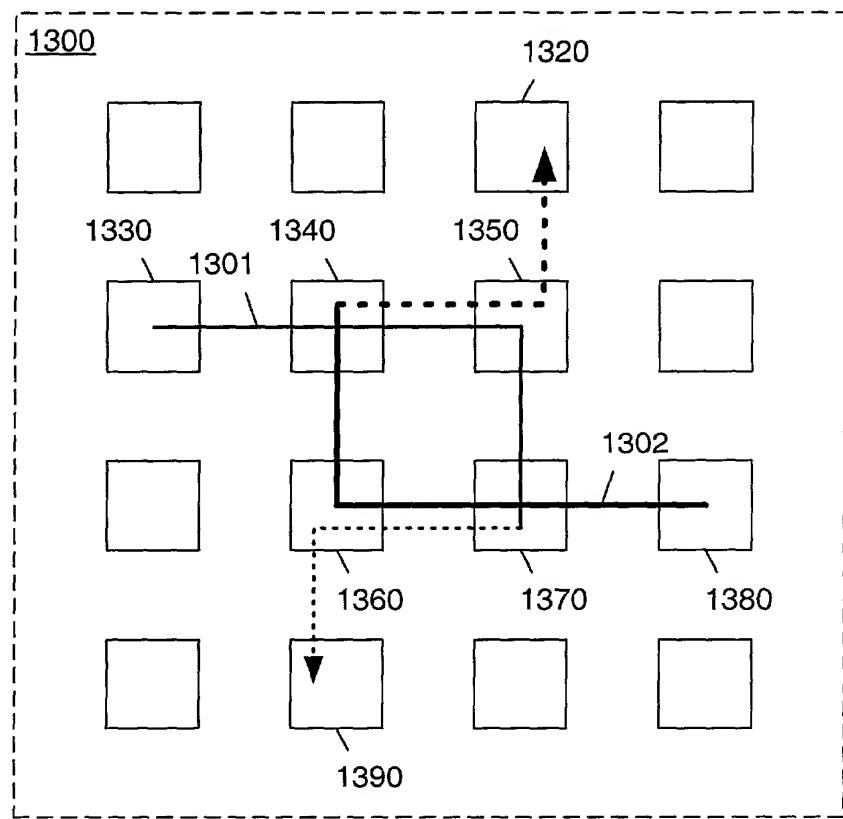


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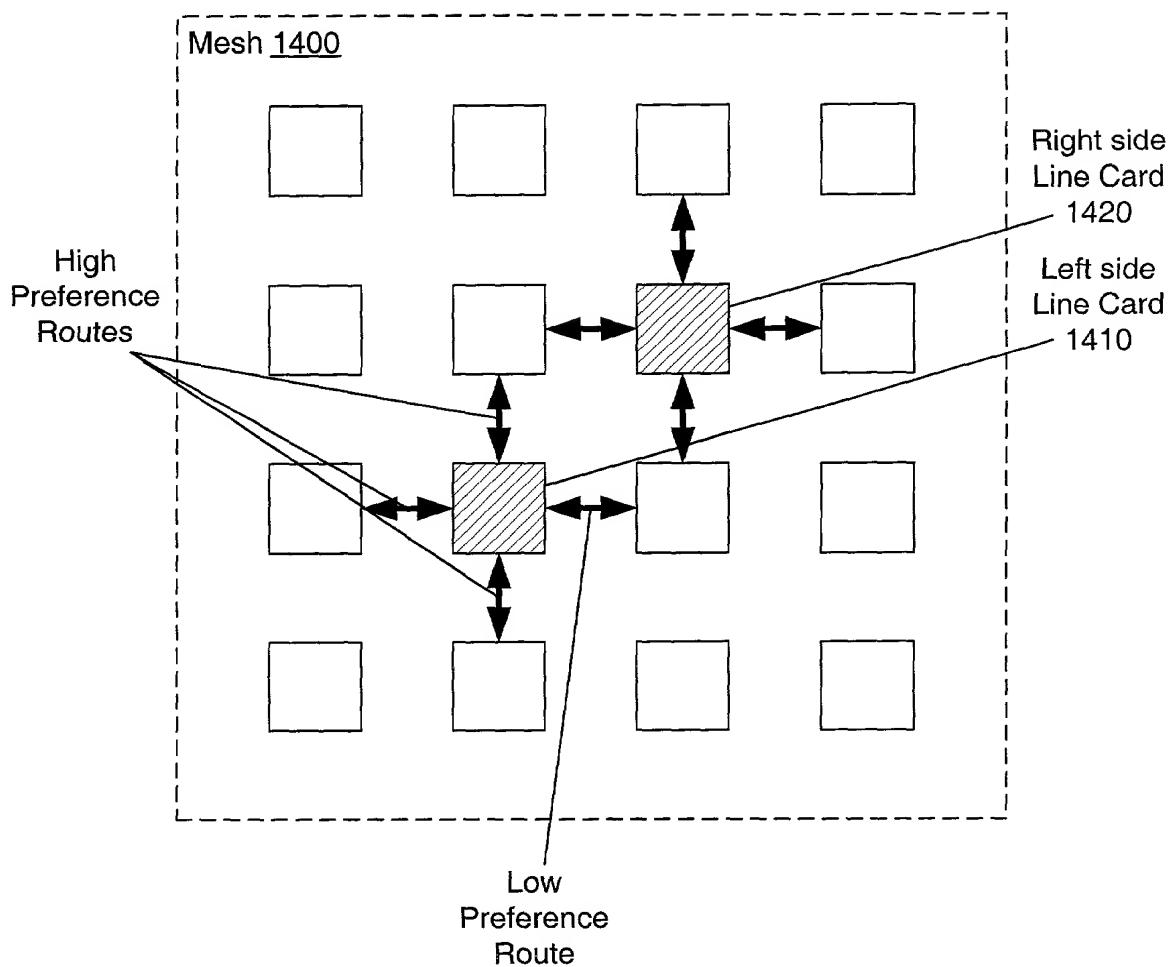


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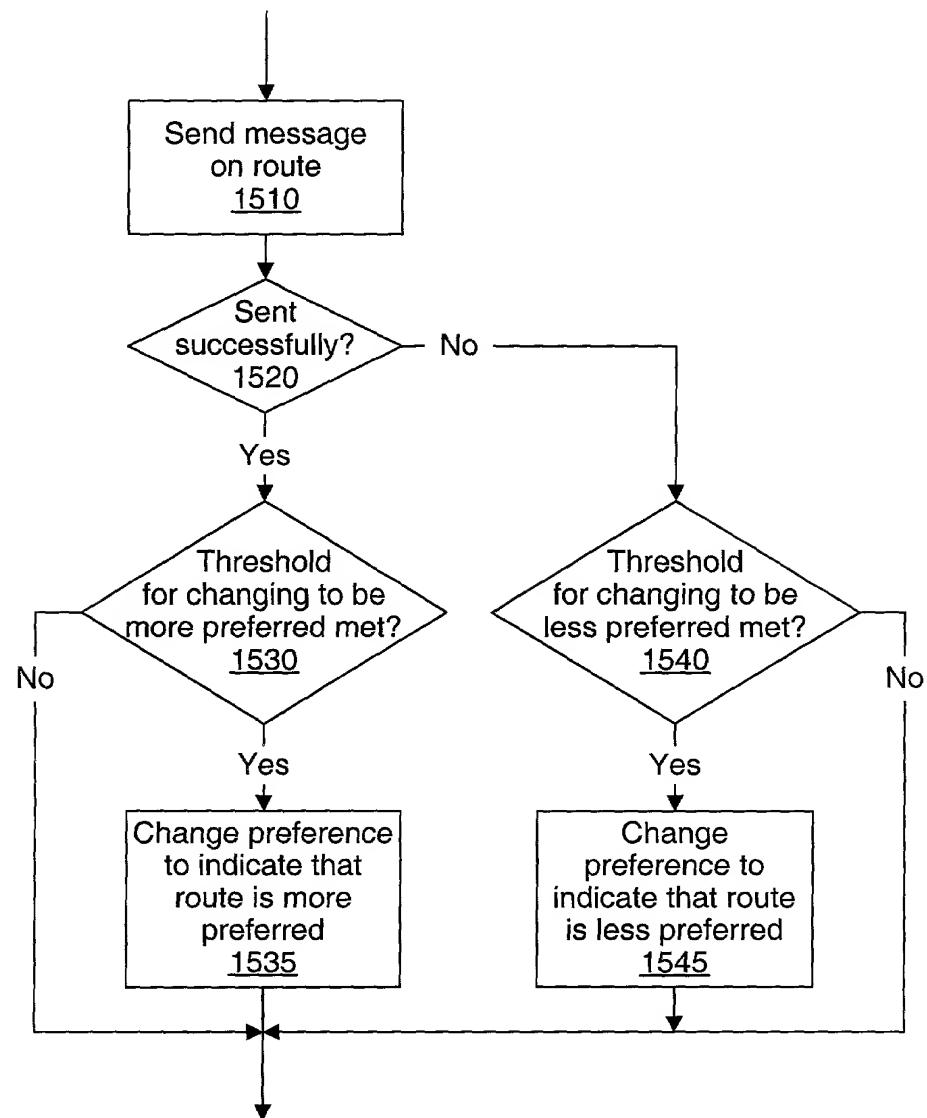


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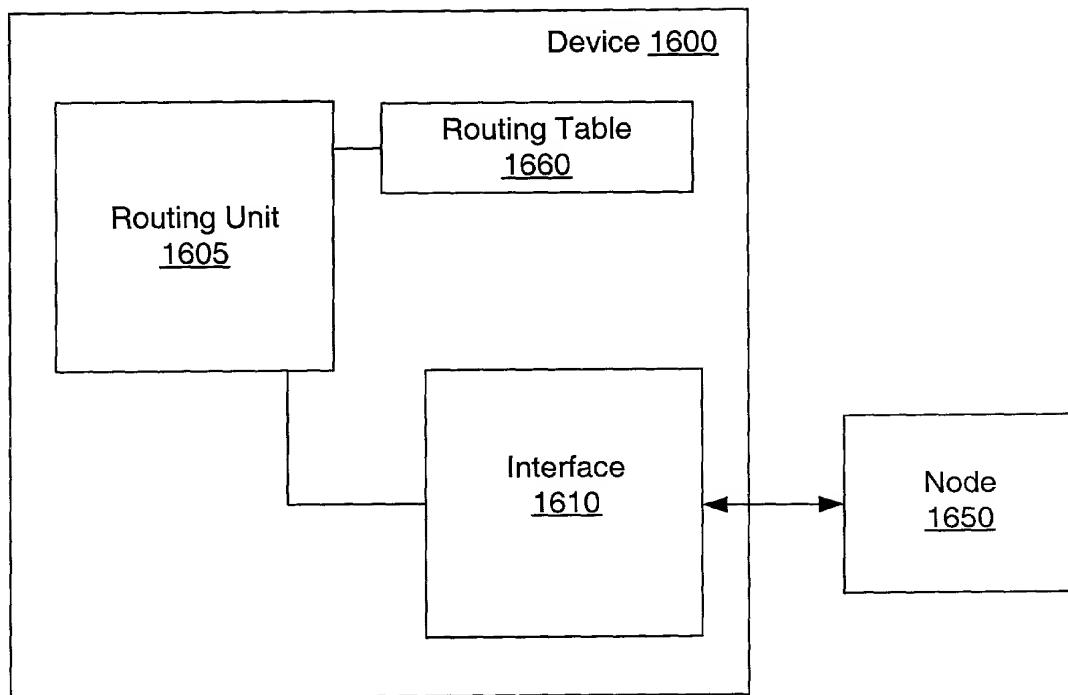


Fig. 16